

# BON MARCHE,

314-316-318 Seventh St.

## Closing Out Calendars

At 50% Off Marked Prices.

—Going even further than that with some Calendars. A big lot of handsome Water Color Calendars — separate leaves, tied with satin ribbon. They sell for 75c. Our closing price is..... **5c.**

# HESITATING AT NO SACRIFICE.

No cut is too great with us now. The goods we've determined to close out are reckoned not according to their value, but at what they'll bring quickest.

## Petticoats About Half.

Petticoats, lined with flannel, unlined, shaggy-stuffed, ruffled, etc. 41c. **\$1.39**

## Trimmings.

The very latest things in Trimmings for evening and dinner costumes. New Spangled Bands, Spangled All-over Nets, Pearl Trimmings, Pearl Fringes, All-over Laces, in black and cream—Applique Bands, in cream and black—Steel Trimmings, applied on non-silken—Diamonds of Lacy, in black and cream—also a full line of Trim Trimmings.

## Underwear.

Infants' and Children's White and Natural Silk Vests, worth 15 to 25 cents, for 10c. **5c.**  
Children's Extra Heavy Black Ribbed Hose, with double knee, heel and toe—worth 10 to 15 cents, for 5c. **9c.**  
Ladies' Heavy Black Cotton Hose, double heel and toe—worth 10 to 15 cents, for 10c. **11c.**

## A Wholesale Suit Sacrifice.

Every Suit in the house has been gotten together and four lots made of the whole stock. The finest, best-selected lot of Tailor-made Suits ever graded a store in Washington. You'll appreciate what it means to sell them at these prices:

**\$15 Suits, \$7.75**  
**\$25 Suits, \$9.75**  
**\$35 Suits, \$14.75**  
**\$60 Suits, \$24.75**

## A Whole Stock of Silk Waists.

Every Silk Waist in the house included in the three lots. The very latest and finest productions are included—Tucked Waists—Corset Waists—dress and shirt waists—street and evening shades.

**\$5.00 Waists, \$2.95**  
**\$8.00 Waists, \$3.50**  
**\$12 Waists, \$6.95**

## Skirt Sale.

Those who don't want a full suit will find it almost compulsory to buy at least a skirt at the prices quoted:

**\$5 Skirts, \$2.95**  
**\$7.50 Skirts, \$3.95**  
**\$10 Skirts, \$4.95**  
**\$15 Skirts, \$6.95**

## A Whole Coat Stock.

Every Jacket in the house included in four lots—Ladies' and Misses' Jackets at well-the latest and most admired effects.

**\$7.50 Jackets, \$2.95**  
**\$12 Jackets, \$7.95**  
**\$15 Jackets, \$9.95**  
**\$20 Jackets, \$12.95**

All Children's Reefers included in the following four lots:

**\$4 Reefers, \$1.95**  
**\$5 Reefers, \$2.95**  
**\$7.50 Reefers, \$3.95**  
**\$10 Reefers, \$6.95**

## Gloves Down.

Ladies' 2-clasp Mocha Gloves, in gray—\$1 kind—while the stock lasts. **69c.**  
Ladies' Black Cashmere Gloves, strictly all wool—sizes 7 to 8½—25-cent kind. **15c.**  
Children's Black Wool School Mittens—worth 10 cents for.... **11c.**

THE BON MARCHE, 314-316-318 7th St.

## STORY REPUDIATED

President Ban Johnson Denies Report From Chicago.

## INTERVIEW WAS A PURE FAKE

Brooklyn Decides to Pay Fine Imposed.

## CURRENT SPORTING NEWS

President "Ban" Johnson of the American League, says the story sent out from Chicago about his breaking the national agreement is utterly untrue. He said:

"The whole story of a resolution on the part of the American League to make war openly on the national agreement is a pure fake and not worthy of the least credence.

"I am greatly provoked at the story, which is altogether without foundation and which places me in an awkward position. No one who knows me would believe for a moment that I would say what was attributed to me in certain Chicago papers, but the articles are harmful for the reason that many people will believe what there is no reason for accepting as true. I have been a newspaper man myself, and it is unusual for me to discredit what has been printed in regard to me, but I cannot overlook this instance. I absolutely deny the interview attributed to me. Not only was it untrue, but I did not even consent to talk on the subject.

"Even if such a step were contemplated I would have too much sense, I trust, to give it up at the time it has been a religion with me not to say anything on the subject of the American League circuit or its relations with the National League, and when I have anything to divulge on the subject it will be said to everyone at once and not to one or two."

It is possible that the story was told to bring out an expression of opinion from the National League owners or to make the American Association that is being expelled by the National League and Company show its hand in some way.

## Brooklyn Pays Its Fine.

After making many threats as to what they would do, it is stated in New York that the owners of the Brooklyn Base Ball Club yesterday abided by the recent decision of the National League by paying the \$300 imposed in the case of Wrigley, the player. This announcement was made by Charles H. Ebbets, president of the club, and came as a surprise, inasmuch as the "Big Four" had emphatically declared that unless the fine should be remitted they would carry the case into the courts.

"We decided to pay the fine," said President Ebbets, "because of adverse criticism, although knowing full well that we were greatly wronged and unjustly fined. We are not fighting the league, nor have we any desire to do so. Our aim is to do all we can toward promoting harmony, and with that end in view we have paid the fine."

The Brooklyn Club is in favor of an eight-club circuit, and its owners will meet a circuit committee and agree on any proposition for the withdrawal of the Baltimore Club. As yet we have received no offer from the committee. I do not doubt that the National League next season will be composed of eight clubs."

## SUCCESS OF THE CARROLLS.

Won Two Games and Lost to the Business Men's Club Bowlers.

Three games originally scheduled for last Friday, but postponed, were bowled last night at the Business Men's Club, in South Washington. The Carroll Institute five, which was the visiting team, secured the decision, winning a majority of the games and settling itself into second place in the District league. The Carroll five are certainly doing much better than formerly, and while their last total in yesterday's games was a rank one it can be attributed to the old notion that there are many uncertainties in bowling. Old veteran Rice played his steady game, and averaging 100, helped very materially in the winning of the C. I. Gorman showed great unsteadiness, ranging in his scores between 90 and 115. In the first game, the teams displayed strange weakness in strike work. Smithson deserves great credit for his consistently strong bowling for the home team, since his average in the last game was 100. The first game presented one of the prettiest contests of the season's bowling. Totals made by both sides were first-class and an element of uncertainty attended the players throughout the contest. The visiting team was considerably in the rear at the opening of the last frame, but at the end of 90 pins in the inning, setting the decision, since the home players bowled but 68. Harlow is credited with two double headers in his string, and played more in his old style than he has shown for some time. The score follows:

FIRST GAME.			
Carroll Institute.	Business Men.	St. Sp.	St. Sp.
Meritt.....	148 Smithson.....	1	7
O'Connor.....	124 Crist.....	2	12
Rice.....	102 Land.....	2	7
Gorman.....	5 Miller.....	2	4
Harlow.....	194 Kidd.....	1	10
Totals.....	7 29 825	Totals.....	10 28 813

As though they had overcome it in the previous contest the Business Men made a miserable total in the second game and were defeated without a great deal of effort on the part of the Carrolls. At the outset and continuing for a short period the sides played well together, but the home team could not hold the pace and were defeated by 70 pins. The score follows:

SECOND GAME.			
Carroll Institute.	Business Men.	St. Sp.	St. Sp.
Meritt.....	148 Smithson.....	1	7
O'Connor.....	124 Crist.....	2	12
Rice.....	102 Land.....	2	7
Gorman.....	5 Miller.....	2	4
Harlow.....	194 Kidd.....	1	10
Totals.....	7 29 825	Totals.....	10 28 813

Bowling precisely the total of the second game, in the third event the Business Men had no task whatever to perform in winning from the visitors. For some unaccountable reason the Carrolls went almost completely to pieces and made a total seldom scored in a league contest. The pace of the poor result may be attributed to the fact that splits abounded, Gorman being most unfortunate in this respect. Smithson continued his excellent exhibition of spare bowling. The score follows:

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O'Connor.....	124 Crist.....	2	12
Rice.....	102 Land.....	2	7
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Tonight the Young Men's Christian Association team will visit the Sangerbund alleys, where a three-game match will be bowled with the home club.

The standing of the clubs follows:

Young Men's Christian Association.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Carroll Institute.....	12	5	728
Golden Eagle Bowling Club.....	11	10	624
Columbia Bowling Club.....	9	9	590
Sangerbund.....	10	11	476
Business Men's Club.....	7	14	332

## GENERAL SPORTING NEWS.

John L. Sullivan does not think that Jeffries is built of the proper material to hold the championship long. Sullivan says Jeffries is too slow and is a poor ring general.

George McFadden and "Spikie" Sullivan, the lightweights, will meet Friday night in New York in a twenty-round bout. Sullivan is said to have recovered his old form, and a lively "scrap" is expected between the two men.

Daniel Brady, the trap shooter, was in great form Monday. At the Carerter Gun Club, on Long Island, he won both the New Year's day cup and the January cup. He broke the record of the grounds by grassing fifty-nine birds straight.

Le Roy See is the champion skater of the year. At Montclair, N. J., Monday, on three-mile races. He was scratch man in both headcups. He skated the mile in 2:57, and the other event in 10:13 1-5.

In the George Dixon-Terry McGovern

# Palais Royal Manicure Parlor.

In charge of Madame Lillian D. de Döckerdorf, late pupil of Dr. Parker Pray and now the most famous woman manicurist in the United States. Inquire for her in Balcony Parlor.

## 20 Per Cent Discount.

The final reduction of the winter season—one-fifth off marked prices of all Cloth Suits at \$10 to \$45, all Coats at \$10 to \$25, all Capes at \$5 to \$75, all Fur Garments at \$5 to \$60, all Tea Gowns, Wrappers and Bath Robes at \$2 to \$20, all Silk Petticoats at \$8 to \$25, all Dressing Sacques at 98c to \$5. These are not odds and ends. Such garments are to be almost given away.



**\$10 Coats for \$3.98.**  
**\$12 Coats for \$3.98.**

**\$15 Coats, \$5.98.**  
**\$18 Coats, \$5.98.**

**\$10 Capes, \$4.98.**  
**\$12 Capes, \$4.98.**

Odds and ends only a dozen or so in the lot. All styles, but not all styles in each size. A nuisance to us, but rare bargains for you.

Heavy English Melton and Kersey Cloth Coats, lined throughout with best silks and satins, custom, tan, black and black. Superior man-tailored garments, fully worth the original prices—\$15 and \$18.

Winter Cloth Capes, some lined throughout with satin. Some richly plain; some artistically beaded; some with fur trimming; all expensive garments in material, style, finish and fit.

## Oneita Union Suits, 39c.

Warmly Fleeced Glove-fitting Suits. Smallest to extra large sizes will be here tomorrow morning. Note that the adjustment of the "Oneita" garments enables them to be easily put on or taken off.



## 10 Per Cent Discount on Best Garments.

"Phyllis" Union Suits for ladies and misses are here of purest wool and silk, the best quality, finish and fit. And the "American Hosiery Co.'s" best Separate Vests and Pants.

## Too Many Gray Blankets Are Here.

For some reason or other you have rejected these Gray Blankets while freely buying the identical goods in white. Our error is your gain—the following reduced prices are less than we paid at wholesale:

**\$3.19** pair for Gray Wool Blankets. California Blankets identical in all respects but in color to the white ones here at \$5 pair.  
**\$2.69** for Gray Scotch Wool Blankets. Same quality as the white ones here at \$3.98 pair.



## Cotton Underwear Prices Reduced.

Prior to "Opening" the new 1900 stock comes this "Clearing" of all 1899 garments. Regular patrons need not be told of the Palais Royal Underwear. They only want to know of the reduced prices, and our "Clearing Sale" will be as brief as we can wish.

**39c** Garments for.....**29c.**  
**68c** Garments for.....**44c.**  
**98c** Garments for.....**67c.**  
**\$1.25** Garments for.....**87c.**

**\$1.50** Garments for.....**\$1.24**  
**\$1.98** Garments for.....**\$1.59**  
**\$2.48** Garments for.....**\$1.94**  
**\$2.98** Garments for.....**\$2.59**

## Best China Cheap.

(Some pieces chipped.)

**\$7.50** for \$14 Dinner Set, 100 pieces. The trifling chips will be pointed out—need to be.  
**\$9.95** for Carlsbad China Dinner Set, 100 pieces. The trifling chips will be pointed out—need to be.



## On Basement Floor.

(Some pieces missing.)

**\$11.50** for a \$16 Carlsbad China Dinner Set, 100 pieces. The trifling chips will be pointed out—need to be.  
**\$2.98** for \$6 Carlsbad China Tea Set, 100 pieces. The trifling chips will be pointed out—need to be.

# Palais Royal, A. Lisner, G & 11th Sts.

## Are You Looking For a Bargain in Furniture or Carpets?

There is no other time in the whole year when prices are so low as NOW! We are house cleaning—in every department of this great stock—clearing out the broken lots resulting from our big holiday business. Short lengths in fine Carpets and odd pieces in Parlor, Bed Room and Dining Room Furniture are being cleaned away without regard to cost. We will arrange the payments to suit your own convenience—weekly or monthly. All carpet made, laid and lined free of cost.

## Credit

There is no other time in the whole year when prices are so low as NOW! We are house cleaning—in every department of this great stock—clearing out the broken lots resulting from our big holiday business. Short lengths in fine Carpets and odd pieces in Parlor, Bed Room and Dining Room Furniture are being cleaned away without regard to cost. We will arrange the payments to suit your own convenience—weekly or monthly. All carpet made, laid and lined free of cost.

## GROGAN'S MAMMOTH CREDIT HOUSE,

817-819-821-823 7th St. N. W., Bet. H and I Sts.

## Real Estate Transfers.

Sixth street northwest between P and Q streets—James S. Edwards et al., trustees, to Wilhelmina Brazier, lot 43, square 158; \$2,900.

Sixteenth and V streets northwest—Ruth Moore, to Jno. W. Simpson and Thos. Thacher, half interest in all square S of 188; \$1 (stamps, \$5).

Callan street northeast between 6th and 7th streets—Henry C. Mackall et al., trustees, to Geo. A. Ames, lot 112, square 86; \$10 (stamps, \$1). Geo. A. Ames conveys same property to Jno. J. Curtin; \$10 (stamps, \$1).

Edinburgh Place—Fannie Chapman et vir. Geo. R. to Daniel E. Wiseman, part lot 5, block 18, \$10 (stamps, \$1).

Sixth street northwest between L and M streets—Charles White, to Llewellyn F. Davis, lot 94, square 482; \$1 (stamps, \$5).

Columbia Heights—Leo J. Rosenthal et ux. to Adella M. Stewart, lot 24, block 25; \$10 (stamps, \$1.50).

Columbia Heights—Louis F. Abel to Jenny Kinnaird, lot 23, block 25; \$10 (stamps, \$1).

Callan street northeast—Allen W. Malley et al., trustees, to William P. Richards, lot 62, square 916; \$1,200.

Sixteenth street northwest between N and O streets—Louis H. Edwards et al., trustees, to Geo. A. Ames, lot 112, square 86; \$10 (stamps, \$1).

Sixth street northwest between 10th and 11th streets—Emily J. Drake to Julius J. Pittman, lot 16, square 225; \$10 (stamps, \$5).

H street northeast between 9th and 10th streets—William P. Springer to Geo. T. Moran, lot 20, square 324; \$10 (stamps, \$1).

N street northwest between 4th and 5th streets—E. Kendall Cutter to Edwin C. Cutter, part original lot 22, square 513; \$10 (stamps, \$2.50).

Eighth street northwest between Market space and D street—Martha W. Goddard to Chas. C. Glover, part lots 9 and 10, square 408; \$12,000.

Thirtieth and N streets northwest—Trustees of Gay Street Baptist Church to the West Washington Baptist Church, lot 32, square 1232; \$10 (stamps, \$1.50).

L street northeast between 25th and 26th streets—Chas. W. King et ux. to Redwood

Vandegrift, lots 29 to 32, square 15; \$10,000.

Columbia Heights—Anna B. Spier et vir. Wm. F. to Anne L. Lampton, lot 34, block 24; \$10 (stamps, \$7.50).

Nos. 227 and 229 New Jersey avenue northeast—Frankland Jannus et ux. to Earle E. Carley, original lot 17, square 689; \$5 (stamps, \$5).

Cleveland Park—John Sherman et al. to Rollo W. Browne, part lots 18, 34 and 35, block 8, and part of addition to Cleveland Park; \$7,500.

Second street northeast between H and I streets—Madison M. Myrick to the Little Sisters of the Poor, part original lot 6, square 751; \$3,000.

Mount Pleasant—A. E. L. Leckie et al., administrators, to Thoro Harris, part lot 5, block 18, \$10 (stamps, \$1).

Seventh street and Florida avenue northeast—A. E. L. Leckie et al., trustees, to Thoro Harris, lot 16, Smith's Vacancy and Jamaica, and part lot 37, Mt. Pleasant and Pleasant Plains; \$13,900.

Pastor Installed.

Installation services were conducted at the First Baptist Church, corner 6th and 4th streets southwest, last night, Rev. Wm. J. Robinson being installed as pastor. Rev. Sheldon Miller, president of the Baptist Ministers' Union, acted as chairman of the meeting. After devotional exercises by Rev. J. C. Matthews, Rev. James H. Lee, Rev. C. S. Pryor of Houston, Tex., and Rev. B. L. Phillips, ex-pastor, presented the candidate. A special sermon was preached by Rev. Bishop W. Johnson, D.D. Rev. Wm. J. Howard extended the right hand of fellowship to the church, and Rev. John H. Richards, Rev. Charles H. Harris and Rev. Wm. Jackson served as the escort committee. A collation was served to the invited guests and ministers by a large corps of ladies of the auxiliary.

Re-election was pronounced by the candidate. A collection of \$10 was presented to the new pastor.

Use Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup for that hacking cough. It is the best medicine for throat and lung affections. One bottle of this reliable remedy will effect a cure. Price 25c.

## "1900" \$40.00

## Ramblers

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Hesitate in your selection of a Bicycle for "1900," while you can have a RAMBLER. This remarkable wheel comes nearest to perfection of any bicycle constructed. The RAMBLER records are bright and unblemished. Each year has been marked by notable improvements, and valuable inventions have been utilized in their construction. Price only \$40.

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## HALLS OF THE ANCIENTS

Illustrate the architecture, art, mythology, manners and customs of the Egyptian, Assyrian, Roman and Saracenic people to promote national galleries of history and art. Open week days from 9 a.m. to 10 p.m. Visitors during the day will receive a return ticket for the lecture by Mr. Franklin W. Smith, the curator, or an assistant, in the evening. dec-6m

## "Handoline"

## Cures "Chapped" Hands

Only 25c bottle. —and lips. It's a delightful toilet preparation, that ladies should never be without in cold, windy weather. It prevents "chapping" and keeps the skin soft and smooth. It is the only "HANDOLINE" —and see that you get it.

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## Red, Rough Hands

And chapped lips won't bother you if you'll rub a little "Red-Red" on your hands and face at bed time. It protects the skin against the cold—takes away the redness and roughness. ONLY 25c BOTTLE.

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